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MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, MARCH 31, 1774.

CLEVES, *December* 12.

WE have just received the copy of a letter written by Mr. Obreſcow to the baron Stackelberg, dated at Roman the 10th of November. This letter contains an account of ſome ſucceſsful attempts made by the generals Ungern and Dolgoroucki, and then goes on, "after theſe ſucceſſes the two generals joined their forces, and on the ſecond of this month defeated a very conſiderable corps of the enemy under the walls of Bazarlicz, of which town they afterwards rendered themſelves maſters. This town is well ſituated, and in high veneration among the Turks, becauſe the father of the reigning emperor was born there. The two generals ſeparated again, and the one went towards Varna, and the other towards Chumna, to carry into execution the ulterior plan of the commander in chief. Chumna is an open place, and will be eaſily carried, but Varna is ſtrongly fortified. It is the only harbour on the European ſide of the Black Sea which is capable of receiving veſſels of any conſiderable burthen; ſo that the capture of this place will put it out of the enemy's power to furniſh the army of the grand vizir with proviſions by ſea. They will be reduced to the neceſſity of ſending every thing by land from Conſtantinople, which, though not abſolutely impoſſible, is at leaſt very difficult."

LEGHORN, *Dec.* 27. The Saturn, a Ruſſian frigate of 31 guns, which arrived here on the 12th, brings advice, that the Chiek Daher, ſupported by the Druſes and Ruſſians, had made himſelf maſter of the town of Baruth, and that capt. Pamjotti had taken twenty-one veſſels of different ſorts.

LONDON, *December* 10.

Lord Sandwich has left town for a month, and has commiſſioned ſix new captains for ſix guardſhips; he has likewiſe generouſly leſſened the expences of Miſtar the printer, and has taken off 1500l. of the 2000l. fine.

The mode adopted by lord Holland for the payment of his ſecond ſon's (Charles Fox's) debts, which are ſaid to amount to 120,000l. is as follows: all his tradeſmen to be paid off immediately, his honourable creditors to be paid 25 per cent. in ſix months time, 25 per cent. more in one year, and the remainder in eighteen months. By a mode ſomewhat ſimilar to this, he paid off his eldeſt ſon's debts laſt year, which amounted to 80,000l.

The ſalaries of the preſident and council of Fort William, in Bengal, have been calculated to amount to no leſs than 280l. per day; a ſum pretty univerſally thought to be a greater ſaving to the Eaſt India company, by their not going out at all, than any reformation in their favour, that can be adequate to ſuch monſtrous diſburſements.

It is undoubtedly true that the Spaniards have a force in the Weſt-Indies at this time, including land and ſea forces, in proportion of five to three of what we have in thoſe parts.

Dec. 14. News which lately arrived from Boſton, has very much engaged the attention of the miniſtry, and it is ſaid very much perplexed them; for at this time they are not come to a concluſion about what meaſures they are to purſue.

The princeſs Amelia, it is ſaid, has been indefatigable in exerting her utmoſt addreſs to conciliate matters between the king and his brother-in-law, the hereditary prince of Brunſwick, in which her royal highneſs has been ſo happily ſucceſsful, that the prince and princeſs are expected over next ſpring to London, where it is ſuppoſed they will ſtay till the latter end of the autumn. We are aſſured that a very preſſing invitation is ſent to them for that purpoſe, which, it is thought, cannot be refuſed.

Dec. 17. An authentic letter from Hanover, dated December 14, mentions, that there arrived chevalier Rot, major general to his Sardinian majeſty, who gave great commiſſions to different merchants in that electorate and its neighbourhood, to purchaſe vaſt numbers of horſes for the uſe of his Sardinian majeſty's regiment of horſe.

They write from the Hague, that the Ruſſian fleet is to be divided into three diviſions; one is to remain cruiſing in the Mediterranean, commanded by admiral Greigh, (an Engliſhman) another in the Black Sea, commanded by the ſieur Kinſberg, (a Dutchman) and the third in the archipelago, commanded by the Ruſſian vice-admiral Synowine.

On Sunday Dr. Duncan, the king's phyſician, was ſent for down to Luton Hoo to viſit the earl of Bute, who is much indiſpoſed.

Yeſterday morning early a duel was fought between two brothers, both men of fortune, in a field near Iſlington, wherein the eldeſt was run through the right ſide, and now lies without hopes of recovery. The quarrel happened on account of a law-ſuit.

Dec. 29. The celebrated elopement of the patriotic ſecretary, which made ſo much noiſe about a year and a half ago, has ended juſt in the manner as ſuch haſty and imprudent matches uſually do. Mr. Morris, ſecretary to the bill of rights, after having made the round of ſeveral gay cities, at laſt brought his young wife (the natural daughter of the late Lord Baltimore, he was her guardian, and decamped with her when ſhe was under 16 years old) to the ſtiller ſatisfaction of Geneva, where, leaving her in the ſociety of his own ſiſter and another young lady, he, with her permiſſion, made a five weeks tour into Italy. In the mean while, without any provocation upon Mr. Morris's part, or warning upon her's, ſhe formed the reſolution of writing to her relations in London; that her whole deſire now was to get rid of her marriage; or, if that could not be effected, to live ſeparate from her huſband. Mr. Morris is haſtening his return to England, and, in all probability, will be as eager to get rid of his marriage as he ever was before to celebrate it. The cauſe of this ſudden turn in this lady's mind cannot be accurately determined; but ſome do not heſitate to point out another turn, and call for a reaſon from a well known family failing.

If the northern Semiramis (the empreſs of Ruſſia) ſhould ever be able to fix the ſeat of the empire at Conſtantinople, the freedom not only of the Italian ſtates, but of all Europe, would be rendered precarious, as, by her ſituation ſhe might be enabled to give laws to the weſtern as well as eaſtern world.

Jan. 1. They write from Marſeilles, that the Ruſſian ſquadron which cruiſes between the iſlands of Zante, Corfu, and Raguſa, has ſomething more in view than to examine all the veſſels paſſing and repaſſing thoſe gulphs and ſeas; and that it is greatly apprehended they will take poſſeſſion of all thoſe three iſlands, in order to make uſe of that political right to act on the defenſive. If this proves true, it will certainly not paſs unnoticed by ſome of the maritime powers, who watch the ſteps of Ruſſia with the utmoſt jealouſy.

Jan. 3. It is ſaid, that very ſhortly the right rev. the biſhops, together with the clergy of their reſpective dioceſes, intend to remonſtrate, and humbly to beſeech his majeſty, that he would be graciouſly pleaſed no longer (as the cuſtom has now been for half a century and upwards) to prorogue the upper and lower houſes of convocation, but to ſuffer them to ſit and reſume their functions; to revive the liturgy and thirty-nine articles of the church of England; to amend and explain what is amiſs or wanting in them, and to do their beſt endeavours to put a ſtop to that infidelity, profaneneſs, and immorality, perjury, bribery, and corruption, which ſo much infeſt all ranks and orders of men, from the higheſt to the loweſt; that without a ſincere repentance, and a thorough reformation, muſt draw down the fierceſt of God's judgments upon this ſinful nation.

Jan. 5. Till it was reported ſo univerſally that the ſilver coin would undergo an examination, government never thought any thing about it; but now, it ſeems, the public will not be diſappointed in their expectations. However, the plan for regulating the ſilver is not yet abſolutely ſettled.

When the new ſilver coinage is ſettled, the general opinion is, that the value of what is now called a guinea, will be fixed at twenty-two ſhillings.

Jan. 6. The following lords in the Iriſh houſe of parliament, have proteſted againſt the bill for enabling Roman Catholics to lend money upon mortgages: Inchiquin, Shannon, Kingſton, Richard, Armagh, J. Dublin, Miltown, R. Killaloe and Kilfenora, Liſle, Eyre, Ely, Wm. Limerick, Charles Cloyne, Powerſcourt, Baltinglaſs, J. Leighten and Ferns, C. Oſſory by proxy, Mount Caſhel and Roſs, Wm. Drumore.

Jan. 7. Notwithſtanding the tender age and ſlender allowance of his royal highneſs the prince of Wales, we are aſſured, he has a little ſtring of penſioners, whom he conſtantly relieves, and who have taſted in a peculiar manner of his bounty.

Private letters from Paris mention, that they have reaſon to judge, by ſeveral circumſtances, (which they would not attempt to write) that before the expiration of this month, great motions will be obſerved among both their land and ſea forces; and ſeveral, indeed, aſſert, that general orders will be iſſued to preſs every man that is able to bear arms, even livery ſervants and mechanics not excluded: they add, that the preſent war between Ruſſia and the Porte, which, at its beginning, was looked upon as very inſignificant by the reſt of the courts of Europe, is now become very important to ſeveral, ſo that it muſt abſolutely draw another and moſt hot war after it. Ruſſia meets with great ſucceſs as well by ſea as by land. The Ruſſians are at preſent maſters of the Crimea, as likewiſe of Syria, and will, in all probability, render themſelves maſters of Romelia in a very ſhort time. Their naval forces increaſe every day, and are countenanced by ſeveral great maritime powers, and of courſe will not recede from the laſt terms of peace propoſed by her at the two late congreſſes, which it is almoſt impoſſible the Porte can comply with; and the longer the war laſts, the more its enormous expences increaſe, and the more difficulties it will create on both ſides to agree in the terms of peace; and as Ruſſia has hardly any thing to fear (for in caſe her own army would meet with ill ſucceſs, there are two powerful armies of her allies in readineſs to ſupport her inſtantly) conſequently the Porte muſt either conſent to ſuch terms as would be very advantageous to Ruſſia, or muſt at laſt fall a prey to the three united powers; both which caſes cannot but be very diſagreeable to the court of France, who always ſtrove to keep up the ſuperiority of the Ottoman Porte, as a rod and a ſcourge to Europe; and who was long enough moſt jealous of the increaſing power of Ruſſia, and particularly now on her becoming ſo near a neighbour, by rendering herſelf miſtreſs of the Black Sea; ſo that there is no doubt but that court will intermeddle very ſoon, by the aid of the court of Spain; and they add, that above twenty ſhips of the line are juſt fitted out at Ferrol, and twenty at Carthagena, under pretence of carrying on a war againſt Morocco, whilſt they (at Paris) are better informed of the intention thereof. If this ſpeculation is well grounded, a moſt violent flame of war muſt break out in all Europe, as well by land as by ſea, as there will hardly be any of the ſtates of Europe which will not be involved in that univerſal quarrel. They further add, that ſeveral of the chiefs of the Poliſh confederacy are at preſent at the court of Spain.

Jan. 8. By the laſt accounts from Rome we learn, that the court of Vienna have given orders to cardinal Albani to demand from the pope the enlargement of the general of the Jeſuits and his German coadjutor; but it is believed this requeſt will not be complied with.

They write from Leghorn, that the Sallee veſſel, the Tyger, which was taken by the frigate Auſtria, has been ſold there by auction; and it has been diſcovered that it was commanded by a Portugueze Jeſuit who fled to Morocco.

Jan. 10. The grand Signior has never once, during the courſe of the war between him and the empreſs of Ruſſia, expreſſed his diſapprobation of the conduct of the court of Great Britain towards him; on the contrary, we are told his ſublime highneſs has more than once expreſſed his acknowledgments to a great perſonage, by preſents, for kindneſſes received.

Extract of a letter from Warſaw, Dec. 24.

"General Bibikow the Ruſſian miniſter, and commandant of the empreſs's forces in this kingdom, has juſt delivered an inſtrument to his Poliſh majeſty, in anſwer to the act of ceſſion, by which her imperial majeſty promiſes that all her troops ſhall be drawn forth from Poland by the end of next month; in conſequence of which, every preparation is making for their departure, to the great joy and relief of the inhabitants where they had been quartered, who have ſeverely felt their exceſſes.

The differences ſubſiſting between the court of Spain and the emperor of Morocco, in caſe the latter quits his pretenſions to Ceuta, will in a ſhort time be ſettled ſo effectually, that a treaty of peace and intimate alliance will be eſtabliſhed between them.

They write from Warſaw, that ſeveral of the delegates ſtill refuſe to ſign the treaty between the republic and the three united powers; the reaſon they give for that refuſal is, becauſe theſe united powers would not guarantee the republic againſt the Ottoman Porte, who in all probability will fall upon the republic, after the preſent war is concluded, as a revenge for their having ſo ungratefully countenanced the Ruſſian troops during the war, and there will be nobody to take their parts.

Jan. 11. The Dutton Eaſt-Indiaman, Capt. Rice, ſailed from Graveſend on Saturday, on her voyage for India. This ſhip carries a large quantity of ſtores for the new ſettlement of Balambangar, which appears as if the company intended to proſecute the eſtabliſhment of that place. It may certainly be made an object of great importance, as it is ſo ſituated as not only to center all the ſpice trade of the Eaſtern iſlands, which enables us to divide the purchaſe of theſe commodities with the Dutch, who have long been ſhamefully ſuffered to monopolize theſe important articles, but will alſo prove a moſt convenient port for all the China ſhips, and conſequently the produce can be brought home without any additional expence to the company. The governor who is appointed to execute this undertaking, is moſt happily choſen for that office, as he has been long acquainted with the Malayes, and is much eſteemed by theſe people; it may be therefore depended upon that he will ſucceed if he is properly ſupported.

On Tueſday laſt put into Cowes, in the Iſle of Wight, the Hezekiah, Capt. Van Yonge, with ſeventy Poles on board, who are going to ſettle in South-Carolina.

The widow of the late agent John Caleraft, Eſq; has proved her marriage to him in 1744, and thereby has ſecured her thirds in his immenſe eſtates.

A private letter from Hamburgh mentions, that ſeveral German engineers, formerly in the Auſtrian and Ruſſian ſervice, have lately been taking into the pay of his Pruſſian majeſty and ſent into Sileſia.

Jan. 12. Yeſterday their excellencies the Imperial, Ruſſian and Pruſſian miniſters had a long conference at the latter's houſe in Bond-ſtreet, on the ſubject of recent diſpatches from their reſpective courts.

Jan. 13. They write from Conſtantinople, that it is ſtrongly reported there, that the grand ſignior himſelf intends to take the command of his troops at the next campaign, and that the chevalier Tott is to attend his ſublime highneſs in the army. They add, that there never were Chriſtians who met with ſuch diſtinguiſhed honour from the Porte as the chevalier de St. Prieſt (the French ambaſſador) and the chevalier Tott, with both of whom the grand ſignior and ſeveral members of the high divan have frequent conferences.

They write from Elſineur, that the hurricanes have done great damage in the Baltick and North ſea. A pilot and three ſailors who eſcaped the moſt imminent dangers, aſſure, that upwards of 73 ſhips have been driven on the coaſt of Jutland by a ſtorm, moſt of which are loſt. We are informed by later advices, that for

the ſpace of four miles 22 ſhips are to be ſeen aban-doned. Towards the place called Robert-Kunſt-Riff, and Hadetranid, ſix have ſunk.

Yeſterday Frederick Bull, Eſq; lord mayor of London, took the oaths and his ſeat in the houſe of commons as member for the city of London.

The prince of Wales and the biſhop of Oznaburgh went yeſterday in ſtate to the houſe of peers.

Wedneſday night a meſſenger arrived at St. James's with diſpatches from the lord lieutenant of Ireland; and another meſſenger was ſoon after ſent off for Dub-lin with anſwers.

Our letters by yeſterday's Flanders mail give us a cir-cumſtantial account of what happened between the Ruſſians and the Turks near Varna on the 12th of No-vember laſt, according to which general Ungern-Stern-berg loſt 6000 men, among whom are general Reize and 21 officers; and that general Dolgorucki, who marched with his corps on another road in order to join the former, when he was informed of the unhappy event, turned back; but his fore guard, conſiſting of near 3000 coſſacks, who were advanced too far, fell into the hands of the baſſa of Adrianople, who was juſt come to defend the fortreſs of Varna, and all theſe 3000 coſ-ſacks were cut to pieces by his troops. They add, that notwithſtanding the loſs which that general ſuſtained, yet his undertaking was very laudable; and if he had come two hours ſooner he would have rendered himſelf maſter of that important fortreſs, which would have proved very fatal to the enemy; nevertheleſs his way of retiring with the reſt of the troops did him great ho-nour.

We hear from Potzdam, that his Pruſſian majeſty is ever in cloſe conference with the Ruſſian and Auſtrian miniſters; courier upon courier are continually arriving from, and ſending to, their triumvirate courts; upon the late deſeat of the Turks, two expreſſes came within four miles of each other; when it was the next day propagated at Berlin, that a revolution was daily ex-pected at Conſtantinople, and all the Chriſtian mer-chants were removing their effects with the utmoſt ſe-crecy and expedition from that capital. The rage of the Turks is to great at this time againſt the Chriſtians and Jews, that there is no walking the ſtreets of Con-ſtantinople for fear of their fury. The grand ſignior hourly diſtributes large ſums of money among his Janiſ-ſaries, to hinder their revolt; but without he marches in perſon at their head, and leads them on to battle (which is what they cry aloud for) all his temporiſing will avail him nothing.

It is poſitively ſaid, at the weſt end of the town, that the duke of Glouceſter will make his appearance at St. James's on her majeſty's birth-day; for it is aſſured, through her majeſty's tender mediation, accaiit on has within theſe few days commenced between the royal brothers; in conſequence of which the duke of Cum-berland is expected in England as ſoon as the weather will permit him to travel, and his town and country houſes are preparing accordingly for his reception: all which is hoped to be authentic, as nothing would glad-den the hearts of Engliſhmen more, than to behold a union between the king and his neareſt kindred.

Jan. 19. The affairs of America, it is now ſaid, will not be taken up by parliament till the ſeſſions is pretty far advanced.

The Hero, captain Bunce, belonging to Carolina, is cut off by the Negroes at Domel, near Goree, on the coaſt of Africa.

Jan. 21. Lord viſc. Fitt, ſon to the earl of Chatham, is to embark next month for North America to make the tour of the Britiſh colonies on that continent.

Extract of a letter from Warſaw, December 29.

"Since the Pruſſian troops have left the diſtricts of Poſen, Grieſen, and Syradia, the delegates begin to feel the reſentment of the oppreſſed ſubjects, as ſeveral eſtates belonging to the delegates were ſet on fire, and conſiderable damage was done thereby; for which rea-ſon captain Michelſon, with a regiment of Coſſacks, was ſent thither to guard theſe provinces from any further inſult."

Jan. 22. The laſt letters from Paris adviſe, that or-ders have been ſent to the officers of all the regiments in the ſervice of France, to provide themſelves with field equipages without delay; and to be in readineſs to march upon the firſt notice. A very little time will ſhew whether this news is to be depended upon.

By the accounts from Briſtol of their laſt year's im-portation of ſugars from the Weſt-Indies, it appears to have been twenty thouſand hogſheads, which is five thouſand more than ever was introduced into that port in any one preceding year.

Jan. 25. The king has been pleaſed to conſtitute and appoint Soame Jenyns, Edward Elliot, and Bam-ber Galcoyne, Eſqrs. the Hon. Robert Spencer, Eſq; commonly called lord Robert Spencer, William Joliffe, Whitſhed Keene, Eſqrs. and the Hon. Charles Greville, Eſq; to be his majeſty's commiſſioners for trade and plantations.

Jan. 26. A letter from the Lower Elbe, dated Jan. 23, ſays, "The inſurrection in Ruſſia is at preſent the topic of every converſation. It ſeems to have happened in the moſt critical time, when freſh troops were greatly wanted; but by this unhappy event they are not only diſabled from raiſing any new troops, but have been obliged to recal many regiments that were upon their march for Moldavia; and the troops which were can-toned about Warſaw have received ſudden orders to march for Peterſburgh. It is ſuſpected that many of the principal men in the empire will lay hold of this opportunity, and that a total revolution will be the conſequence of it. In the mean time couriers to Vienna, Berlin, and Copenhagen, from Peterſburgh, are more frequent than ever; and the current reports are very diſagreeable."

Extract of a letter from Paris, Jan. 27.

"It is very poſitively aſſerted that orders are given to all our regiments to hold themſelves in readineſs to take the field upon the earlieſt notice, and that an army of 200,000 men will be aſſembled upon the Rhine in the ſpring.

ANNAPOLIS, March 31.

On Monday laſt, his excellency the governor, was pleaſed to paſs an act for the adjournment of the pro-vincial court, to the firſt Tueſday in May next.

To his Excellency ROBERT EDEN, Eſq; gover-nor and commander in chief in and over the province of Maryland.

The humble addreſs of the upper houſe of aſſembly,

May it pleaſe your Excellency.

WE his majeſty's dutiful and loyal ſubjects the upper houſe of aſſembly, beg leave to return your Excel-lency our thanks for your ſpeech at the opening of this ſeſſion.

The experience we have hitherto had of your Excel-lency's good intentions to promote the welfare and proſperity of the province, makes us moſt ardently wiſh, you may ſpeedily ſettle thoſe affairs which require your perſonal attendance in England, and, that we may ſoon have the pleaſure of ſeeing your Excellency again exer-ciſing the powers of government in Maryland.

The convening the aſſembly before your departure, with a view of eſtabliſhing ſuch regulations as may be conducive to the general welfare, juſtly entitles your Excellency to our warmeſt thanks.

25th *March*, 1774. BENEDICT CALVERT.

To which his Excellency was pleaſed to return the following anſwer.

Gentlemen of the upper houſe of aſſembly.

YOUR obliging addreſs, with your kind wiſhes for my ſteady return to this province from England, is a very agreeable proof of your approbation of my paſt conduct, your aſſurance of which gives me the higheſt pleaſure. And I can only add, that I am glad the propriety of my convening the general aſſembly, at this time, appears to you in the light I ſincerely wiſhed it ſhould.

March 26, 1774 ROBERT EDEN.

To his Excellency ROBERT EDEN, Eſq; gover-nor and cammander in chief in and over the province of Maryland.

The humble addreſs of the houſe of delegates.

May it pleaſe your Excellency.

WE his majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal ſubjects, the delegates of the freemen of Maryland in general aſſembly convened, return your Excellency thanks for your ſpeech at the opening of this ſeſſion.

Convinced of the extenſive utility of the ſeveral ſub-jects which you were pleaſed to recommend, we ſhall take an early opportunity to pay a proper regard and attention to ſuch of them as remain unfiniſhed, and can at this inconvenient ſeaſon be fully conſidered.

March 26, 1774.

By order of the houſe,

MATTHEW TILGHMAN, ſpeaker.

To which his Excellency was pleaſed to return the following anſwer.

Gentlemen of the lower houſe of aſſembly.

YOUR aſſurance of your attention to the ſeveral ſubjects I have on former occaſions recommended to you, on your conviction of their utility, gives me pleaſure; and I can only repeat that I ſhall be happy in paſſing into laws any re-gulations you may agree upon.

March 26, 1774. ROBERT EDEN.

*** *The ſeveral inſpectors on application to the ſheriffs of the reſpective counties, may be furniſhed with the inſpec-tion law, paſſed laſt November ſeſſion.*

CUSTOM-HOUSE, ENTERED.

Snow Reſtoration, James Thomas from Briſtol.
Brig Fortune, Thomas Moore, from the Iſle of May.
Brig Woiſe, Amos Grandy, from Salem.

CLEARED,

Brig Friendly Trader, Edw. Weekes, for Cork.
Schooner Hake, Philip Thraſh, for Liſbon.

Elk Ridge, Mrs. R. Warfield's, Feb. 9, 1774.

RIDGELY and HOWARD intend to decline the mercantile trade, therefore they deſire all thoſe who are indebted to them to make ſettlements im-mediately, otherwiſe they may expect to be ſued. They have remaining unſold about five hundred pounds prime coſt of goods, conſiſting moſtly of coarſe clothes, ſhalloons, duroys, figured ſtuffs, Iriſh linen, white ſheeting, nails, powder and ſhot, which they will diſ-poſe of at a very low rate for caſh, bills of exchange, or ſhort credit.

P. S. Mr. Richard Brooke will take payments for debts due them in Frederick county, and his receipts ſhall be good againſt. w 4 R. & H.

Queen-Anne's county, March 28, 1774.

THE low ebb to which misfortunes have reduced me, obliges me (contrary to my inclination) to abſent myſelf from this province, of which I hereby give notice to thoſe whom it may concern.

CONRAD THEODORE WEISSTRANDT.

Great Pipe-Creek Bridge, Fred. county, March 15, 1774.

FIFTEEN POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away from his bail the 8th day of November laſt at night, a certain lingo Negro, but call-himſelf Hugh M'Can, came into the country a ſer-vant, but did not ſerve out half his time, having paſſed for a freeman theſe two years or near there about; he is about five feet one or two inches high, one or two and twenty years of age, has a young ſimple look, an Iriſhman, but ſpeaks good Engliſh, much pock marked; had on when he went away a ſuit of light co-loured Nankeen, a new furred hat, blue worſted ſtockings, pumps with pinchbeck buckles and a watch; he had a paſs above a year ago, ſigned by Joſeph Wood, in the name of M'Can, by which I underſtand he has paſſed ſince he run away; likewiſe ſtole a large iron gray horſe, about fifteen hands high, neither branded or ear marked, trimmed, ſhod before, and has two feathers or roſes on each ſide of his neck, has a large mane and foretop, a large ſwitch tail and carries it a little on one ſide, he is a natural pacer, but can trot a little, is eight years old this ſpring. Whoever takes up the ſaid thief, and ſecures him in any jail, and ſaid horſe, ſo that his owner may get him again, ſhall have the above reward, and reaſonable charges, or eight pounds for the thief, and ſeven for the horſe, by applying to w 3

JOSEPH EVERETT.

March 19, 1774.

STOLEN out of the ſtable of Joſeph Watſon, one ſmall bay horſe, branded on the ſhoulder thus V, has on the upper lip a very ſmall ſnip, he is a well put together horſe, ſhod before, paces and gallops, trots very little. Whoever ſecures the thief and horſe, ſo that the owner may have him to juſtice, ſhall receive thirty ſhillings reward; if only the horſe, ſhall receive a reaſonable ſatisfaction paid by me, living near Elk-Ridge church. w 3 JOSEPH WATTSON.

TAKEN up in the Bay, between the mouth of Weſt river and Kent Point, a ſmall boat, ſquare joint built, a ring bolt in the ſtern, and another in her head, with a long tow rope and an iron chain faſtened to her head; the upper part of the ſtem broke of even with the breaſt hook, her ſides paid with tarpen-tine. The owner may have ſaid boat again, by pro-ving his property, and paying charges to Sele Tucker, at Weſt river. w 3

March 29, 1774.

IN February laſt was loſt, or left in poſſeſſion of ſome perſon in Annapolis, by Mr. Sowell Long of Kent Iſland, a large ſingle caſe ſilver watch, with a ſilver dial plate, maker's name John Bayley, London, num-ber 726; whoever has the watch, is deſired to deliver it to Mr. Thomas Hyde, who will give a reaſonable reward to the poſſeſſor, or if ſuch watch is offered for ſale to any Silverſmith, or others, they are requeſted to ſtop the ſame, and oblige their very humble ſervant, w 5 DAVID LONG.

THERE is at the plantation of Jemima Selby, on the head of South River, taken up as ſtrays, two cows, the one a black and white, the other a brin-dle and white, marked with a hole and an upper cut in the right ear, and an upper cut in the left. The owner may have them again, by proving property, and paying charges.

March 24, 1774.

THERE is at the plantation of Suſannah Law-rence, near Poplar Spring Chapel, a black horſe about 13 hands and a half high, branded on the near ſhoulder ſomething like H, though not very plain, paces, trots, and gallops. The owner may have him again, by proving property, and paying charges. w

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THERE is at the plantation of Samuel Thomas near the lower ferry, on Suſquehanna river, in Cæcil county, taken up as a ſtray, a ſmall black horſe with one eye out, no brand nor ear mark. The owner may have him again, on proving his property, and paying charges. w 3

Elk-Ridge, March 19, 1774.

THERE is at the plantation of the ſubſcriber living on Elk-Ridge, near Potapſco Falls, a white horſe, near 15 hands high, no brand that can be per-ceived, is a natural pacer, and appears to be very old. The owner may have him again, on proving property and paying charges. w 3

GREENBURY RANDALL.

December 7, 1773

To be leaſed for a term of years,

THE WINDMILL and GRANARY in the city of Annapolis. For Terms apply to

DANIEL WOLSTENHOLME or DANIEL DULANY, junior.

N. B. If not leaſed before the 20th April next they will be offered for ſale.

Senica, March 24, 1774.

To be ſold at public ſale, on Wedneſday the 20th of April, on the premiſes,

A TRACT or parcel of land, lying on Draught of Senica, in Frederick county, containing 360 acres, with the following improvements, viz. about 40 acres of clear land, all freſh and under good fence; a good dwelling-houſe, 20 by 16; kitchen, ſmoke-houſe, milk-houſe, &c. two tobacco-houſes, one of them quite new. Alſo will be ſold, two white ſer-vants, four horſes, cattle, hogs, plantation utenſils, and houſhold furniture. The ſale to begin at eleven o'clock, if a fair day, if not, on the next fair day, and continue till all are ſold. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe the ſaid tract of land, may be put in poſ-ſeſſion thereof on the day of ſale, which will enable them to make a crop the enſuing ſeaſon. Attendance will be given, and terms of ſale made known, by

t s ORLANDO GRIFFITH, JOSHUA GRIFFITH.

Kent county, March 22, 1774.

To be ſold for current money, at public ſale, on Thurſday the fifth day of May next,

A VALUABLE plantation, lying in Kent county, and on the mouth of Saſſafras river, containing about 300 acres; the ſituation is high and beautiful, and commands a fine proſpect of Cheſapeak bay, and the river Saſſafras. The ſoil very fertile, and ſuitable for either wheat or tobacco. There are on the pre-miſes, a good brick dwelling-houſe 40 feet by 20, two ſtories high, a cellar under the whole houſe, two rooms and a paſſage below ſtairs and three above, a good brick kitchen and paſſage adjoining the houſe 30 feet by 20, a good granary and corn-houſe, and other out-houſes. The ſale to begin by 12 o'clock on the pre-miſes. To be ſold alſo at the ſame time and place, ſeveral negroes, cattle, horſes, &c. by

JOHN CREW.

TO be ſold by John King, at his ſtables (late Warren's) a black horſe, 5 years old this ſpring, remarkably ſtrong, and well made, very fit for city uſe, for the waggon, or to breed from in the country; to prevent trouble, the loweſt price is £ 60. The horſe will be led out every day and ſhewn betwixt the hours of 12 and 1 in the ſtreet, by the coffee-houſe door.

To be ſold cheap, a neat poſt coach, box to take off, with harneſs for four horſes, to drive either with a coachman or poſtilions: there is belonging to the coach, a pair of ſtuffs, with poſtillion ſaddles, and long traces. The wheels are as good as new, and the carriage in good order, having had a thorough repair laſt year.

To be ſold alſo, a very uſeful convenient poſt chariot, may be uſed with or without a box, is remarkably eaſy, and being hung in the French way, on brancards, is in no danger of being overſet by turning ſhort in the narroweſt ſtreets.

To be ſold alſo, a genteel phaeton, with a crane neck, and harneſs for a pair of horſes.

For particulars, enquire of John King, at his ſtables, late Warren's.

Baltimore-Town, March 12, 1774.

TO be ſold, and entered upon in a month if required, a lot of ground, ſituate in Frederick-ſtreet, near Meyer's tan-yard, and between the two lower bridges on Jones's falls; there are 134 feet on the front, 280 feet deep, and 225 feet on the lower front. It is on leaſe for 99 years, renewable for ever, and ſubject to a ground rent of only 40s. ſterling per annum. About 16 years of the leaſe are expired; on the front of the lot on Frederick-ſtreet, is a large brick dwelling houſe, wherein the ſubſcriber now lives, 50 feet front, 23 feet deep, two ſtory high, having two parlours, a paſſage, and ſtair-caſe below; four good chambers, three whereof have fire places, and above, two good garrets well finiſhed. There are alſo adjoining to the ſaid dwelling, a good brick kitchen and landry, with proper chambers for ſervants; alſo a brick warehouſe, 32 feet by 25, two ſtory and cellar, nearly one half of the front of the lot is yet unimproved, there being only an old log building that ſerved as a jail, and which may be removed at pleaſure. There is an exceeding good garden well incloſed: this lot would ſuit a diſtiller, brewer, or ſugar-baker; as there is room ſufficient for building, and a lane may be opened through the lot from one ſtreet to another; what buildings are on this lot are faithfully executed, the brick walls ſome are 18 inches thick, and none leſs than 14 inches, even to the ridge pole; the purchaſer need lay down but little cash, if any, good ſecurity with intereſt will ſuffice, and one fourth of the money will be only at four per cent. per annum intereſt: as I am determined at all events, to leave this province, and deſirous of ſettling all my affairs, any perſon inclinable to purchaſe, will find me very reaſonable in my demand for this lot.

DANIEL CHAMIER.

March 19, 1774.

THE ſubſcriber living in Nottingham, has got a very good ferry boat, and intends to keep ferry; all ladies and gentlemen that will pleaſure him with their cuſtom, may depend on good and ready attendance, likewiſe good entertainment in the private way.

JOHN DORSETT.

March 18, 1774.

FIFTY POUNDS REWARD.

WHEREAS two large ſtones with inſcriptions cut on them in capital letters, were placed laſt fall by virtue of a commiſſion, to perpetuate the bounds of a tract of land called Chance, contiguous to the ſubſcriber's dwelling beyond Elk-Ridge, which ſtones have been lately taken up and broke to pieces, and whereas he has not yet been able to fix the fact by poſitive proof, he hereby promiſes to pay fifty pounds to any perſon or perſons, who ſhall diſcover the perpetrator or perpetrators of that villainy, ſo that he, or they be convicted thereof, by a due courſe of law.

CHARLES CARROLL.

ON Friday the 22d day of April, at the new church near Pohick, in Truro pariſh, Fairfax county, Virginia, will be let by the veſtry of the ſaid pariſh, to the loweſt bidder, the building of a brick veſtry-houſe, twenty-four feet long, and eighteen feet wide, and the incloſing of the ſaid church-yard, one hundred and fifty-eight feet ſquare, with poſts and rails; the poſts to be of ſawed cedar, and the rails yellow pine, clear of ſap, with three handſome paliſade gates; the whole to be done in the neateſt, and moſt ſubſtantial manner.

G. MASON,
THOMAZIN ELLZEY, } church-wardens.

BORROWED or LOST, the two following books, viz. Clare on fluids, with the words Jacobus Hemmingway written in it; and the ſecond volume of Burn's Juſtice, 7th edition. Any perſon having them in poſſeſſion is deſired to bring them to the printers.

Annapolis, January 5, 1774.

To be ſold by the ſubſcriber, for ready money, or one year's credit, on giving bond upon intereſt, with good ſecurity.

TWO tracts of land, called Foothold, and Friendſhip, lying contiguous to each other, containing two hundred and ninety-five acres, lying on the ſouth ſide of Magotty-river, within five miles of Annapolis; Alſo a tract of land called the mountains of Wales, containing four hundred acres, lying on the north-ſide of Magotty-river, within three miles of Magotty ferry. The above lands are well timbered, wooded, and watered, and beautifully ſituated on the river, with ſome cultivations and improvements, they rent for twenty-four pounds per year, are clear of incumbrance, (except the tenants leaſes, which will expire the thirtieth of November next) and the title indiſputable.

W. WORTHINGTON.

March 22, 1774.

JUST imported in the Calvert, capt. Sewell, and to be ſold by the ſubſcribers, wholeſale or retail, at Nottingham and Magruder's warehouſe, for cash, bills of exchange, or tobacco.

A aſſortment of goods ſuitable for the ſeaſon, having goods on hand to a conſiderable amount, ſome by capt. Greig laſt December, and by capt. Lane laſt month; we can furniſh well aſſorted cargoes. Madeira wine at Nottingham to be ſold by the pipe, hogſhead, or quarter cask.

CONTEE and BOWIE.
CONTEE and MAGRUDER.

Kent Iſland, March 16, 1774.

TAKEN up between three and four months ago a punt, petri-auger built, quite new, with a hole bored in her head, but no painter, ſix laid ſome caſt ſtaves in the bottom, oak gunnelled, about 10 or 12 feet in length. Likewiſe taken up about two months ago, a punt about 10 feet in length, one ſeat in the middle, and one in the ſtern; a ſmall piece of the ſtern broke off, an auger hole in her head, but had no painter: whoever owns the ſaid punts, or either of them, may have them again, on proving property, and paying charges, by applying to

JOHN SENNERS, at Broad Creek.

N. B. The one was taken up in Broad Creek, the other was taken up off Kent Point.

TO be run for at Baltimore town, on the 19th day of May next, a purſe of fifty pounds, the three mile heats, free for any horſe, mare, or gelding, carrying weight for age and blood, according to the rules of racing; and on the day following, a purſe of twenty-five pounds, the two mile heats, carrying weight as above, the winning horſe the firſt day excepted only; two pounds ten ſhillings entrance for the firſt day, and twenty-five ſhillings for the ſecond. Subſcribers of one guinea or upwards, to pay only half entrance; the horſes to be entered with Mr. Daniel Grant, the day preceding each days race, or to pay double entrance. The vouchers for each horſe's blood and age, to be produced before he will be admitted to enter.

Judges will be appointed to determine the ſufficiency of the vouchers, and any diſputes that may ariſe.

N. B. Any horſe, mare, or gelding, owned or kept by William Iſams of Anne Arundel county, will not be admitted to ſtart.

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THE ſubſcribers, who are fully authorized to receive, collect, and ſue for the debts due from all perſons in this province to Mr. John Buchanan, and Meſſ. John Buchanan and ſon, merchants in London, have lately received the accounts regularly proved, and very little regard having been ſhewn to their former advertiſements, and the ſituation of Mr. John Buchanan, and Meſſ. John Buchanan and ſon, requiring a ſpeedy collection of the debts due to them, give this notice, that ſuits will be brought againſt ſuch debtors, as ſhall not forthwith ſettle with them.

DANIEL DULANY,
JAMES DICK,
ANTHONY STEWART.

March 22, 1774.

RAN away from the ſubſcriber on the 11th inſtant, living near Lyon's-creek, Calvert county, a ſervant man named John Baptiſt Dilla Franey, born in England but of French extraction: he went away with a certain Mary Pain, who has with her a young child, they are ſuppoſed to have gone to ſome part of Herring Bay or the river ſides, as he profeſſes ſeine knitting and can cart and plow. The ſaid Franey is well ſet, broad ſhouldered, about five feet two inches high, his hair between a ſandy and lightiſh brown, gray eyes, full viſaged, and remarkable for ſtammering in his ſpeech: had on when he went away a lightiſh coloured jacket and breeches, oſnabrig ſhirt, old yarn ſtockings, new ſhoes and buckles, and a felt hat. Whoever takes up the ſaid ſervant and brings him to the ſubſcriber ſhall have 20 ſhillings reward if taken in the county, and out of the county a piſtole, paid by the ſubſcriber, and reaſonable charges; and if in any priſon to give immediate notice to

tf HENRY CAMDEN.

Annapolis, February 28, 1774.

JOHN KING, late coachman to his excellency governor Eden, takes this method of informing the public and his friends in particular, that he hath taken the ſtables belonging to Mr. John Warren, at the roſe and crown tavern in Annapolis, where he hath provided every thing that is neceſſary for the accommodation of gentlemens horſes; he has alſo provided himſelf with good ſaddle horſes, which he intends letting out; thoſe gentlemen which favour him with their cuſtom, may be aſſured of his beſt endeavours to merit their approbation, as it ſhall ever be his ſtudy to pleaſe, he hopes to gain the favour of the public.

N. B. Horſes nick'd and broke; likewiſe bought, ſold, or ſtand at livery.

Port Tobacco, Feb. 23, 1774.

THE ſubſcriber intending to leave this province ſoon, takes this method to inform thoſe concerned, that the buſineſs of Meſſ. Alexander Cunninghame and co. or of Meſſ. Cunninghame, Findlay and co. of Glaſgow, formerly under his direction, is now carried on under the management of Mr. John Craig of this place, who will comply with any engagements entered into by me for behalf of ſaid company. And thoſe who are indebted to the company's ſtores at Newport and this place for dealings with me, are requeſted to make payment to that gentleman as ſoon as poſſible.

DAVID WALKER.

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THERE is at the plantation of Thomas Hamilton, in Prince George's county, a ſtray ſorrel mare, about 12 hands high, with a blaze in her face, and branded on the near buttock B. The owner may have her again on proving property and paying charges.

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Annapolis, March 13, 1774.

THE ſubſcriber intending to leave this province early this ſpring, earneſtly requeſts all perſons indebted to him to make immediate payment, and thoſe who have any claims againſt him for dealings with his Excellency the Governor, or on his own private account, are deſired to bring them in that they may be adjuſted.

ſw JOHN ROBINSON,
Butler to his Excellency ROBERT EDEN, Eſq;

N.B. Any perſon having a quantity of good hams to diſpoſe of, from 500 to 1000 weight, at 6d. per pound, may have a Sale of the ſame by applying as above. J. W.

Alexandria, Feb. 25, 1774.

BAY BOLTON, a full blooded HUNTER, WILL ſtand this next ſeaſon at Torthorald, my plantation, about half way between Alexandria in Virginia and George-Town in Maryland, the place he ſtood at laſt year, and will cover Mares on the ſame terms; at one guinea the leap and five ſhillings to the groom, or two guineas the ſeaſon and ten ſhillings to the groom.——I think it needleſs to deſcribe him, as ſo many good judges have ſeen him, and agree he is the compleateſt horſe that has been imported for this country; he is in much better order this year than he was laſt, and is grown.——Thoſe who chooſe to go by the ſeaſon may depend on good paſture and great care, but I will not be anſwerable for any mares that may be loſt. Laſt ſeaſon, we had twenty-odd mares at a time, ſome ſtaid near a month, none were loſt or hurt, and all returned in better order than when they came.—— The money will be expected, when the mares are taken away, by

w6 JOHN CARLYLE.

THE ſubſcriber begs leave to inform his friends and the public in general, that he has lately removed from the houſe he lived in at the Dock, and has now opened a tavern in the houſe where Dr. Steuart formerly lived, in Francis ſtreet, and oppoſite to Mr. Robert Couden's ſtore; the houſe is much enlarged and readered very commodious, the lodging rooms are light and airy and have moſt of them fire places, there are good ſtables and yard for the reception of horſes, and as the houſe is ſituated about half way between the Stadt-houſe and the Dock, it is equally convenient to the gentlemen of the Eaſtern and Weſtern ſhore. No expence has been ſpared to procure every neceſſary article of the beſt quality, and as he is determined to do every thing in his power to oblige, he hopes for the encouragement and approbation of the public.

tf ISAAC M'HARD.

N. B. Young gentlemen may be boarded as cheap as at any genteel private boarding houſe in town, and may if they chooſe it be quite retired. I. M'H.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away from the ſubſcriber, on Sunday the 4th of March, a ſervant man named THOMAS M'INERHENCY, a joiner by trade, about 24 years of age, wears his own hair which is red, is much freckled, he is a ſlim made man, and may be known to be an Iriſhman by his talk, and is about 5 feet 10 inches high: had on and took with him a ſhort light coloured bearſkin coat and breeches of the ſame, a pair of rediſh coloured cloth breeches, double breaſted red waiſtcoat, light gray worſted ribbed ſtockings, and was imported into the province in June laſt by Capt. Caldwell Howard. Any perſon who ſecures the ſaid ſervant ſo that I get him again ſhall receive the above reward and all reaſonable charges.

4w W. BUCKLAND.

THERE are at the plantation of George Scott, on Elk-Ridge, two 3 years old heifers, one red and the other red and white, marked with a crop and ſlit and an under bit in the right ear, and a crop and an upper bit on the left; alſo a ſmall 2 years old ſteer, with a crop and ſlit in each ear. The owner or owners may have them again on proving property and paying charges.

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FIFTEEN POUNDS REWARD.

May 20, 1773.

RAN away from the ſubſcriber's plantation, in Frederick county, on the head of Bennett's creek, on the 17th inſt. at night, a convict ſervant man, named William Flint, about 22 years of age, born in the weſt of England, a ſpare ſlim fellow, about 5 feet 8 inches high, of a ſwarthy complexion, ſhort black hair, and has loſt one of his fore teeth: he had on, and took with him, a white cotton jacket, brown cloth ditto much worn, a pair of leather breeches black and dirty, two white ſhirts, two pair of ſtockings and ſhoes, and a new felt hat; it's poſſible he may have changed his name and apparel, as he has a ſum of money with him.

Whoever takes up the ſaid ſervant, and brings him either to John Plummer, overſeer on the above-ſaid plantation, or to the ſubſcriber living in Anne-Arundel county, near Elk-Ridge church, ſhall have the above reward for their trouble, beſides what the law allows, paid by tf HENRY RIDGELY.

Annapolis, Dec. 7 1773.

THE ſubſcriber being poſſeſſed of more houſes and lots in this city than are neceſſary for the accommodation of his own family, is willing to diſpoſe of one or more of them to any perſon that is willing to purchaſe. For further particulars enquire of tf JOHN CAMPBELL.

February 24, 1774.

TO be ſold by the ſubſcriber at his ſtore in Annapolis, fine hyſon tea, London double refined loaf ſugar, Weſt-India cotton, melaſſes, good country ſole and upper leather.

THOMAS HYDE.

Annapolis, December 8, 1773.

PRYSE and PARKER,

COACH and COACH HARNESS MAKERS from London,

TAKE this method to acquaint the public, that they have juſt furniſhed themſelves with a large quantity of the beſt materials for the coach-making buſineſs, which they now carry on, in all its various branches, at their ſhop juſt without the Town-gate, oppoſite the ſmith's ſhop; and flatter themſelves they can give as great ſatisfaction to thoſe ladies and gentlemen who pleaſe to favour them with their commands as any of the trade, as they have had many years experience in the moſt eminent and approved of ſhops in London. All orders ſhall be punctually executed on the ſhorteſt notice and on the moſt reaſonable terms.

Said Pryſe carries on the ſaddlery and harneſs-making buſineſs as uſual, and hopes, from his conſtant endeavours to oblige, for a continuance of encouragement from the public.

Annapolis, February 16, 1774.

FOR LONDON,

THE brigantine Peggy Stewart, Richard Jackſon maſter, will be at Selby's landing on Patuxent river, by the 1ſt of March next; ready to take on board tobacco, at ſeven pounds per ton, conſigned to Wallace, Davidſon and Johnſon; thoſe of their friends who incline to take the advantage of an early market, are requeſted to have their tobacco ready with a view of diſpatching her.

Kent county, Jan. 5, 1774

THE ſubſcriber's ſalary being leſſened in value at leaſt one half by an act paſſed the laſt ſeſſion, for the ſupport of the clergy of the church of England in this province; he finds it neceſſary for the ſupport of his family and other purpoſes, to join to his miniſterial office ſome other buſineſs. He has therefore opened a grammar ſchool at his houſe in Kent county, about five miles from Rock-Hall, where gentlemen may have their ſons boarded, and taught the latin and greek tongues, and other parts of literature in the beſt manner, at thirty pounds per annum, and the greateſt care taken of them.

rf ROBERT READ.

Annapolis, Jan. 27, 1774.

SPRIGGS and DONALDSON, tailors, ſtay-makers and ladies habit-makers, take this method to inform the public, that they have juſt imported from London a large quantity of the beſt materials for carrying on the ſtay-making buſineſs, and are now removed into the houſe where Mr. Robert Pinkney lately lived. All orders from their cuſtomers and others in either of the above branches of buſineſs will be thankfully received and ſpeedily executed.

N. B. Ladies and gentlemen from the country are deſired to ſend the caſh for ſuch goods as they may be pleaſed to order.

Fincaſtle county, Virginia, January 27, 1774.

NOTICE is hereby given to the gentlemen officers and ſoldiers, who claim land under his majeſty's proclamation of the 7th of October 1763, having obtained warrants from his excellency, the right honourable the earl of Dunmore, directed to the ſurveyor of Fincaſtle county, and intend to locate their land on or near the Ohio, below the mouth of the great Kanhawa or new river. That ſeveral aſſiſtant ſurveyors will attend at the mouth of the New River on Thurſday the 14th day of April next; to ſurvey for ſuch only as have or may obtain his lordſhip's warrant for that purpoſe. I would therefore requeſt that the claimants, or their agents, will be very punctual in meeting at the time and place above mentioned, properly provided with chain carriers and other neceſſaries, to proceed on the buſineſs without delay. As ſeveral gentlemen acquainted with that part of the country, are of opinion, that to prevent inſults from ſtrolling parties of Indians, there ought to be at leaſt 50 men on the river below the great Kanhawa, to attend the buſineſs, as the gentlemen preſent may judge moſt proper until it is done, or the ſeaſon prevent them from ſurveying any more; ſhould the gentlemen concerned be of the ſame opinion, they will doubtleſs furniſh that or any leſs number they may believe neceſſary. It is hoped the officers, or their agents, who may have land ſurveyed, particularly ſuch as do not reſide in the colony, will be careful to ſend the ſurveyors fees, when the certificates are demanded.

w3 WILLIAM PRESTON, ſurveyor of Fincaſtle.

St. Mary's county, Jan. 1, 1774.

THE partnerſhip of Hawkins and O'Neill being diſſolved, all perſons indebted to them are deſired to make immediate payment, otherwiſe they will be ſued without reſpect to perſons.

March 8, 1774.

STRAYED from my dwelling plantation, on Road-river, the 14th of laſt month, a dark bay horſe, about five years old, ſwitch tail, ſhod before, flat hooſs, paces natural when in hand, about fourteen and a half hands high, goes very eaſy, and with very good ſpirit. Whoever will bring the ſaid horſe to me the ſubſcriber, ſhall receive twenty ſhillings currency reward.

2w NICHOLAS GASSAWAY, ſon of John.

N.B. I have a quantity of exceeding good hay for ſale, which I will deliver at my landing, on Road-river, at forty ſhillings per thouſand, or at the dock at Annapolis fifty ſhillings per thouſand.

N. G.

March 9, 1774.

WANTED as a PARTNER

A Man that underſtands malting and brewing in all its branches, and can come well recommended. For further particulars enquire of the Printers hereof. w8

To be SOLD, at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Monday the 28th of March at Alexandria, (purſuant to the condition of a bottomry bond from Mr. Dan. J. Adams to the ſubſcriber)

THE brigantine ANNE and ELIZABETH, a ſtrong well built veſſel, about four years old, lately repaired, and furniſhed with two anchors and cables quite new——This veſſel will carry about 5000 buſhels of grain, or 800 barrels of flour, and may be ſeen at any time at Mr. Robert Adam's wha[illegible]——The terms of ſale will be made known on the day, by

Feb. 26, 1774. w3 G. WASHINGTON.

Frederick county, March 7, 1774.

On Monday the 28th of this inſt. will be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, at the ſubſcriber's houſe, about ſeven miles from Bladenſburg,

SIX SLAVES, ſome houſhold goods and plantation utenſils. Four months credit will be given from the day of ſale by giving bond on intereſt with good ſecurity. In payment will be taken, tobacco at the market price, bills of exchange, or caſh.

w2 WALTER BEALL.

RAN away from the ſubſcriber, living near Pig-Point in Anne-Arundel county, on the 28th day of December laſt, a ſtout healthy boy, named JOHN WALSH, 15 years of age: Had on when he went away, a ſtriped country cloth jacket kerſey wove, a brown cloth ditto, a pair of full'd country cloth breeches, a check ſhirt, a pair of new yarn ſtockings, old ſhoes, braſs buckles, and a fan-tail'd hat. Whoever takes up the ſaid boy, and brings him to his maſter (the ſubſcriber) ſhall receive two dollars reward if taken in the county aforeſaid, if out of the county three dollars, excluſive of what the law allows, to be paid by

w3 THOMAS SHEELES.

N. B. Let this forewarn all maſters of veſſels and others not to harbour him.

TO BE SOLD,

THE term of 86 years or thereabouts in an eſtate call'd PATTERSON'S REGULATION, containing 345 acres of land, ſituate at upper croſs roads in Baltimore county, Maryland, on which tract is a large frame dwelling houſe two ſtories high, three rooms on a floor, with a ſtore-houſe, barn, ſtables, and other out-houſes, alſo an orchard of fruit trees. The premiſes have been occupied for many years both as a tavern and ſtore, for which purpoſes they are extremely well ſituated, being at the junction of ſeveral public roads, and near to a good merchant mill.

Alſo a tract of 50 acres of land in fee ſimple, adjoining the above eſtate, on which are a good dwelling-houſe, orchard, and other improvements.

Likewiſe a lot of ground ſituate at the lower croſs roads in ſaid county, and on the great public road leading from the lower ferry on Suſquehanna to the upper croſs roads, containing in front on ſaid road 130 feet, and in depth 210 feet, on which there is a frame houſe erected, and which has for many years been occupied as a tavern.

The premiſes may be viewed, and the terms known, by applying to Abraham Jarratt, Eſq; near the place, or to Thomas Wharton at Philadelphia.

THERE is at the plantation of Nicholas Watkins, living on Elk-Ridge in Anne-Arundel county, taken up as a ſtray, a black gelding, about 3 or 4 years old, 13 and an half hands high, branded on the near buttock but not diſtinctly, has a ſtar in his forehead, a ſnip on his noſe, a ſwitch tail, and hanging mane, his hind feet are white, and he appears never to have been broke. The owner may have him again, on proving property and paying charges. w3

TO BE SOLD

ON the premiſes, to the higheſt bidder, on the 15th day of April, the lots and houſes whereon Mr. John Morton Jordan reſided, in the city of Annapolis. They will be ſold ſeparately, or together, as may ſuit the purchaſers; two years credit will be allowed, on giving bond with ſecurity, by

WILLIAM BERNARD

March 2, 1774.

TO be ſold a likely young country born negro fellow, aged twenty-ſix years, has had the ſmall pox and meaſles, he has always been very healthy; any perſon in want, may depend he is well qualified for any ſort of plantation work; for further particulars apply to Mr. Allen Quin in Annapolis.

TO BE LET OR CHARTER TO EUROPE,

A Ship of 440 hogſheads of tobacco burden, now in the country: Alſo a ſhip of 500 hogſheads, expected in March. For terms apply to Mr. Colin Campbell, Annapolis.

RAN away from the ſubſcriber's plantation, near Poplar Spring Chapel, in Anne Arundel county, an Iriſh convict ſervant, named Lawrence Connolly, about eighteen years old, ſwarthy complexion, ſlim made, ſpeaks much in that dialect; had on and took with him, a blue coat and waiſtcoat double breaſted, white ſhirt, worſted ſtockings, new ſhoes, and a Carolina felt hat.——Whoever takes up the ſaid ſervant, and delivers him to Charles Porter, overſeer on ſaid plantation, or the ſubſcriber living on Elk-Ridge, ſhall receive as a reward twenty ſhillings if taken twenty miles from home, thirty ſhillings if thirty miles, forty ſhillings if forty miles, and three pounds if out of the province, beſides what the law allows.

JOHN DORSEY.

Annapolis, February 23, 1774.

Juſt imported, from LONDON, and to be ſold by the ſubſcriber,

A Parcel of healthy indented ſervants, among which are ſome valuable tradeſmen, conſiſting of carpenters, cabinet-makers, ſawyers, ſhoe-makers, blackſmiths, tailors, ſpinſmiths, bricklayers, hatters, butchers, farmers, labourers, and a few ſervant women; alſo a quantity of the beſt powder blue, wig powder, and black pins for hair.

WILLIAM WHETCROFT.

N. B. To be ſold, at public vendue, on Wedneſday the 20th of April next, a quantity of elegant mahogany Furniture, conſiſting of Tall Boys, Deſk Tables, and neat fluted Bedſteads, by W. W.

ANY gentleman, who is qualified to teach the claſſicks, by applying to the viſitors of King Williams ſchool, in the city of Annapolis, will be treated with on the following terms. His annual ſtipend to be £.55 ſterling certain, and £.5 currency to be paid by each ſcholar in the latin ſchool: to a perſon, who ſhall be capable of diſcharging the office of uſher, will be given £.30 ſterling per annum certain, and £.2:10 currency paid by each ſcholar as abovementioned: to a ſcribe who can teach Engliſh, writing, and arithmetick, will be given £.6 ſterling certain per annum, with every advantage ariſing from the ſcholars he inſtructs, and liberty to make his own bargain with their parents. There are very good apartments in the houſe, beſides thoſe appropriated for the uſe of the ſcholars, with a good kitchen and cellar; theſe being entirely for the uſe of the maſter, will render it a very comfortable place of reſidence. Any engagements the viſitors enter into, cannot take place till the 3d day of April next, and to prevent trouble, it is to be hoped that no perſons will make application who are not properly qualified to fill the abovementioned ſtations.

Signed by order,
JOHN DUCKETT, regiſter.

INOCULATION,

PERFORMED in the moſt ſafe and approved method, practiſed in Great-Britain and Ireland, by Dr. Robert Lemmon, lately arrived form the city of Dublin; who after ſeveral years practice in phyſic in general, and inoculation, in particular, in Europe and America; as well as repeated opportunities of conſulting the moſt able practioners; propoſes to inoculate at the houſe of Mrs. Ford near Leonard-town, Saint Mary's county; where he has now carried a ſet through the ſmall pox by inoculation, and where ſuitable attendance is provided, at the trifling expence of two moidores, including board and attendance. Incouraged by his former as well as his preſent ſucceſs; he doubts not but his patients in general, as uſual, ſhall paſs through ſo much dreaded a diſorder, with little or no more confinement to bed than in health, without any prejudice to the moſt delicate conſtitution, or leaving any virulent remains, which too frequently happens in the hand of the injudicious. As the doctor is not determined to remain long in this country, he recommends it to all who deſire to paſs over the diſeaſe with ſafety, ſpeedily to apply to him at Mrs. Ford's, where they ſhall be treated with the utmoſt integrity, by their humble ſervant,

ROBERT LEMMON.

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